

– Public Notice –

Notice of Availability to Review

Proposed Plans for Addressing Contaminated Soil and Groundwater at Installation Restoration Sites 1A-1, 1H, 6A, 1111, and 12 Area, Site 13 at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton

Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton invites the public to comment on the Proposed Plans for addressing contaminated soil at Installation Restoration (IR) Site 1H and soil and/or groundwater at Sites 1A-1, 6A, 1111, and 12 Area, Site 13. The Proposed Plans identify the preferred alternatives for addressing contaminated soil and/or groundwater at these sites and provides the reasoning for these preferences. The Proposed Plans are part of the IR Program, a Department of Defense program for investigating, characterizing, and cleaning up soil and groundwater contamination resulting from past years of operation at military bases.

The preferred cleanup alternatives for these sites are considered the best approaches to protect the public and the environment and comply with regulatory requirements. The regulatory agencies reviewing the IR Program concur with these preferred alternatives. The agencies that oversee the IR Program are the USEPA, California Regional Water Quality Control Board, and the California Department of Toxic Substances Control.

The DON also plans to include Site 1H in Operable Unit 5 of the IR Program to streamline the program schedule.

Copies of both Proposed Plans will be available during the public comment period at the MCB Camp Pendleton Information Repositories:

Environmental Security Office

Building 22165
MCB Camp Pendleton, CA
92055-5008
(760) 725-9744

Oceanside Public Library

330 N Coast Hwy
Oceanside, CA 92054
(760) 435-5600

The Base will also hold a public meeting to explain the Proposed Plans, including all of the cleanup alternatives. Verbal and written comments will be accepted at the meeting, as well as during the public comment period.

Public Meeting

November 14, 2006

1830 to 1930

Stuart Mesa Community Center

Public Comment Period

November 7 to December 8, 2006

For questions regarding the Proposed Plans or other IR Program activities at MCB Camp Pendleton, please contact:

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